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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 98-313-C

In re Application of:)	
Raymond F. Horvath)	Before the Examiner:
)	T. Truong
Serial No.: 09/930,734)	
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Filed: August 15, 2001)	Art Unit: 1624
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For: 9H-Pyrimido[4,5-b]indole)	Confirmation No. 3870
Derivatives:)	
CRF1 Specific Ligands)	

REPLACEMENT RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

MAILED FEBRUARY 25, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2003. This response supercedes and replaces the response Applicants submitted on June 27, 2003. The Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.